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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE THE APPLICATION OF

Schacht et al.

SERIAL NO.: 10/009,808

FILED: April 12, 2002

FOR: Functional Poly-Alpha-Aminoacid  
Derivatives Useful For The Modification  
Of Biologically Active Material And  
Their Use

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) Examiner: Carlos A. Azpuru  
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF JULY 13, 2004**

Honorable Director of Patents and Trademarks  
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Dear Sirs:

In response to the Examiner's Office Action of July 13, 2004, it is requested that the application be amended as follows:

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